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TAGS: CASC, CGEN, ASEC, BGEN, UR, US
SUBJECT: CRAWFORD INTERROGATION

REFS: (A) MOSCOW 17869, (B) MOSCOW 17680,
(C) MOSCOW 17595

1. DEPARTMENT REQUESTED TO INFORM EMBASSY WHETHER
SOVIET ESPIONAGE ARRESSTEES RUDOLF CHERNYAYEV
AND VALDIK ENGER HAVE BEEN REQUIRED TO SUBMIT
TO INTERROGATION SINCE THEIR RELEASE FROM DETENTION
JUNE 26, AS DOES CRAWFORD.

2. IF THEY ARE IN FACT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT TO
INTERROGATION, ARE THEY PERMITTED TO HAVE LEGAL
COUNSEL OR CONSULAR OFFICER PRESENT DURING
QUESTIONING. WE NOTE THAT CRAWFORD IS FORBIDDEN
TO HAVE ANYBODY PRESENT DURING HIS INTERROGATION.

3. MAJOR BELYAYEV HAS INSTRUCTED CRAWFORD TO
PRESENT HIS PASSPORT FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES
DURING AUGUST 2 INTERROGATION SESSION. WE HAVE
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SUGGESTED THAT CRAWFORD BRING ZEROX COPY OF DATA
PAGE FOR SUBMISSION, BUT ANTICIPATE THAT HE WILL
BE TOLD THAT HE MUST SUBMIT PASSPORT ITSELF AND
THAT PASSPORT MAY THEN BE HELD.

4. UNLESS DEPARTMENT PERCEIVES OBJECTION,
EMBASSY WOULD PROTEST IN EVENT CRAWFORD'S

PASSPORT IS SEIZED AND DEMAND ITS RETURN TO
EMBASSY. TOON

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